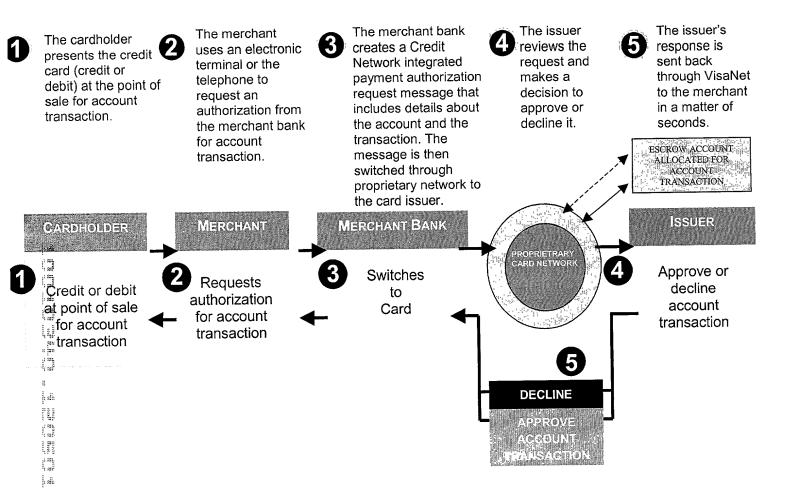


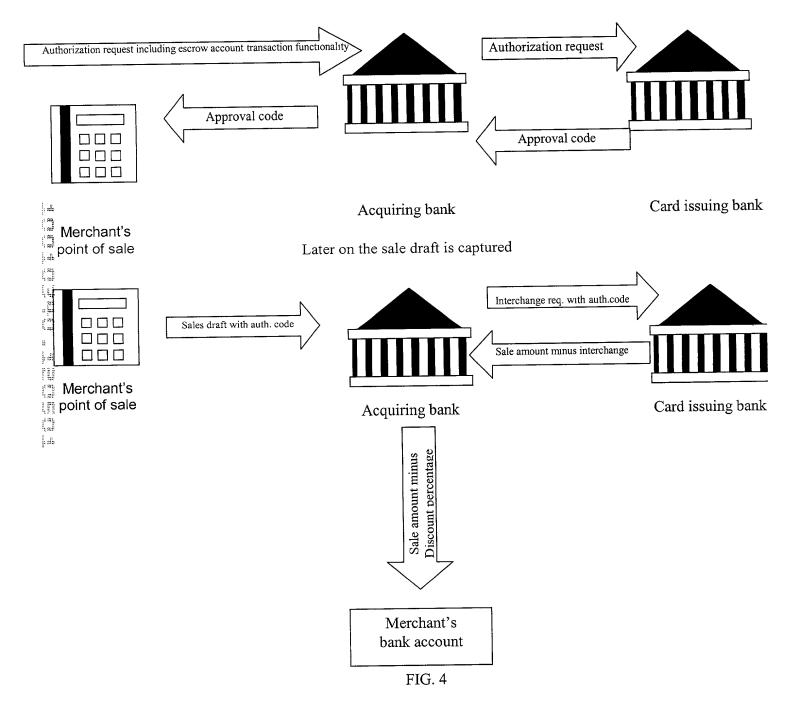
FIG. 2
ESCROW/IMPOUND ACCOUNT



NOTE: In some cases, when an issuer is unavailable for authorization, for example: proprietary network VisaNet will authorize the transaction as a part of a stand in processing service. This is done to further enhance payment system efficiency for the account transaction.

 $\frac{\text{FIG. 3}}{\text{PROPRIETARY CARD NETWORK INTERLINK TO ESCROW ACCOUNT TRANSACTION}}$ FUNCTIONALITY

Authorizing a credit card sale



PROPRIETARY NETWORK ACCOUNT TRANSACTIONS AUTHORIZATION.

(There is no card-issuing bank with American Express and Discover.)

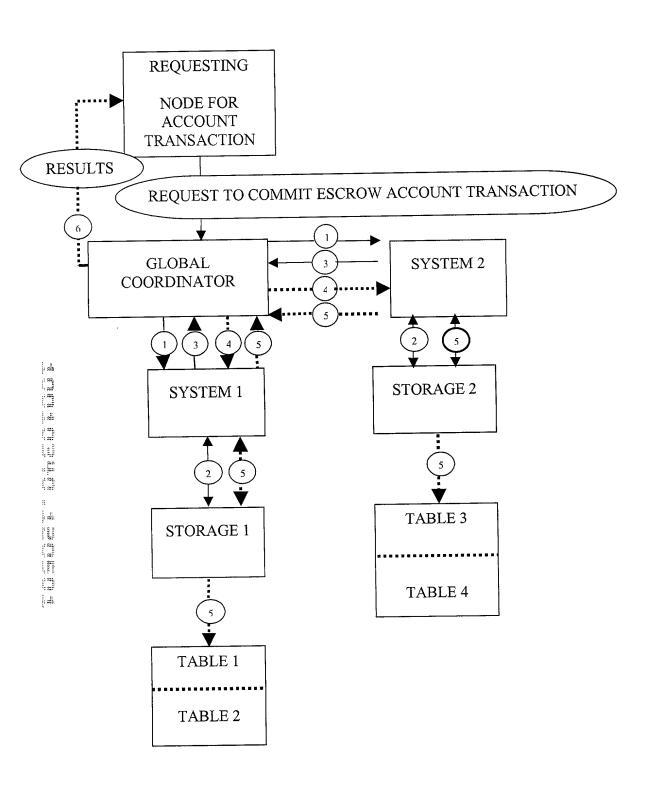


FIG. 5 $\frac{\text{TRANSACTION PROCESSING INCORPORATING ESCROW ACCOUNT TRANSACTION}{\text{FUNCTIONALITY}}$

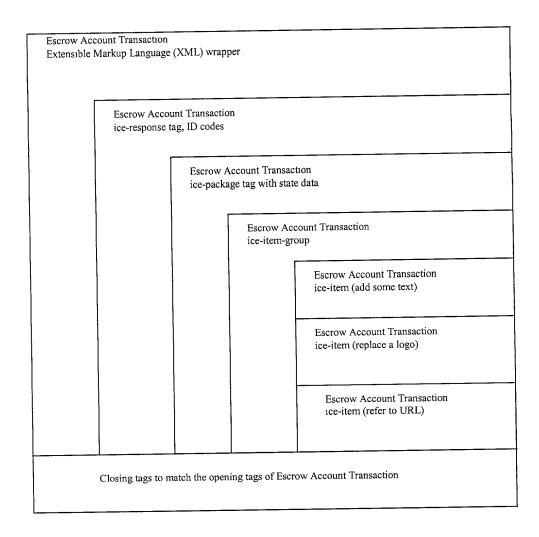


FIG. 6
ESCROW ACCOUNT TRANSACTION INTERNET CONTENT EXCHANGE PACKAGE